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I feel very strongly that Microsoft has been unjustly accused and persecuted in the matter of their alleged monopoly of computer operating and applications systems. I think it is time to put a halt to this action and proceed with what seems to me to be a very fair settlement.

I don't believe that tough competition should be discouraged in order to protect others from their inability to compete. I believe to do so deprives everyone from using the fruits of that competition. If Microsoft is the one that survives, then so be it. I agree that they should not use predatory and unfair means to achieve their position but as I followed the court actions, it seemed to me that it was not proved that they followed illegal practices.

I strongly urge you to accept the proposed settlement forthwith.

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